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As per the above-captioned information, on August 20, 2003 applicants filed the above-identified patent application which was assigned U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/644,465. As of the date of this letter, Applicants have not received an Official Action from the Patent and Trademark Office.

Accordingly, the Office is respectfully requested to advise applicants about the status of this application. The Office is urged to telephone undersigned at the number noted below if any further information is needed.

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